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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

#### FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of April, 2010

Commission File Number 001-13422

# **Agnico-Eagle Mines Limited**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

145 King Street East, Suite 400, Toronto, Ontario M5C 2Y7 (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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#### **EXHIBITS**

Exhibit No. 99.1

**Exhibit Description**Agnico-Eagle Mines Limited's 2009 Annual Report to Shareholders

#### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

#### AGNICO-EAGLE MINES LIMITED

/s/ R. GREGORY LAING

By: R. Gregory Laing

Date: April 14, 2010

Title: General Counsel, Senior Vice President Legal

and Corporate Secretary

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